

Working Memory Difficulties - Classroom Strategies that Work!

An essential workshop for teachers and allied professionals.

Presented by Professor Susan Gathercole*

Students with poor working memory often struggle to achieve academically. Their capacity to follow instructions, learn new skills and even engage with the normal pace of classroom activities will almost always be compromised. This full-day workshop, designed specifically for teachers, speech pathologists and other professionals in the field of education, will provide an overview of the ways in which working memory affects language and literacy learning. The characteristics of children with poor working memory skills will be described, and methods for reducing the learning difficulties associated with working memory problems, including memory training and effective teaching strategies, will be discussed. A number of case studies will be presented and reviewed.

WHEN

Thursday 25th August, 2011

8.45 am to 3.30 pm

WHERE

Tompkins on Swan – River Room

Corner Dunkley Road and Canning Highway, Alfred Cove

ENQUIRIES

DSF Literacy Services

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(08) 9217 2500

COST

\$170 DSF members (including all staff from member schools)

\$195 Non-members

\$145 DSF specialist teachers

\$95 Full-time students (proof of enrolment required)

REGISTRATION

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Morning tea and lunch provided

***Professor Susan Gathercole** is a world-renowned specialist with over 20 years of experience in the field of childhood memory development and memory difficulties. She has written numerous articles and books for teachers and psychologists, including her book titled "Working Memory and Learning: A Practical Guide for Teachers". She has also developed several standardised tests that assess the memory functioning of children. Professor Gathercole is based at the Centre for Working Memory and Learning at the University of York. She is a member of the British Psychological Society, the Experimental Psychology Society, and the Psychonomics Society and she also edits the journal "Memory".

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